

Applicants attach copies of Figures 2-4 and 6-8 showing the proposed amendments in red ink.

REMARKS

Claims 1-5, 7, 8, and 10-22 are now pending in this case, new claims 17-22 having been added by amendment.

All the amendments to the specification, except those on page 11, lines 19-20, line 22, line 23, line 26, and line 27, serve to conform the language to conventional English usage and to correct grammatic errors. The amendment on page 11, lines 19-20, is supported by the specification at page 9, line 1 and page 10, line 9; Fig. 2, line 2; and Fig. 4, line 1. The amendments to page 11, lines 22, 23, 26 and 27 serve to correct references to a peptide in the disclosure of JP-A-Hei 8-502163, which is a Japanese language translation of published International Application number WO 94/01560. The amendments are supported by the sequence information provided by the figure (Fig. 13) from the International Application cited on page 11, line 24 of the present application. The figure, a copy of which is enclosed as Exhibit A, shows the peptide of the International Application that is described in the cited text of the instant application to be that designated CJI-2 and not CJI-1.

The amendments to claims 1 and 2 conform the language of these claims to conventional English usage and to U.S. practice. The amendments to claims 5 and 13 are supported by the specification at page 15, lines 13-14. The amendments to claims 7 and 14 are supported by the specification at page 14,

lines 5-11. Newly added claims 17 and 21 are supported in the specification at page 14, lines 17-27, and page 7, line 27 to page 8, line 4. Newly added claims 18-20 and 22-24 are supported in the specification at page 12, line 6 to page 13, line 9. Newly added claims 25-28 are supported in the specification at page 12, lines 16-22, and page 13, lines 10-14.

The proposed changes to the figures are to conform them to the Sequence Listing.

No new matter has been added.

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